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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page.

Item [56], **References Cited, OTHER PUBLICATIONS,**

“Grimsley et al.” reference, should read as follows:

-- Grimsley et al., “DNA transfer to *Agrobacterium* to *Zea mays* or *Brassica* by agroinfection is dependent on bacterial virulence functions”, *Mol Gen Genet*, 217:309-316 (1989). --

Column 26.

Lines 22-30, should read as follows:

-- A transformed PHN46 or PHJ90 maize cell produced by a method comprising the steps of: a) contacting at least one immature embryo from a PHN46 or PHJ90 maize plant with *Agrobacterium* capable of transferring at least one gene to the embryo; b) co-cultivating the embryo with *Agrobacterium*; c) culturing the embryo in a medium comprising salts other than MS salts, an antibiotic at concentrations capable of inhibiting the growth of *Agrobacterium*, and a selective agent to select for embryos expressing the gene. --

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